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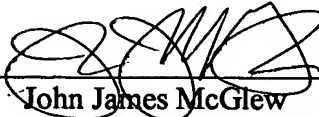
Claims 1 through 14 are in this application and are presented for consideration. Claim 3 has been amended and new claim 14 has been added. The amended claim presents the same subject matter as the original claim but has been amended to adapt it to the U. S. style. The new claim presents subject matter similar to the original claims, but in a different form.

The claims have been amended in order to place this application in better form. No new matter has been added.

Favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted  
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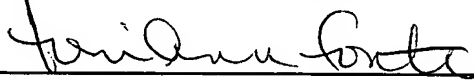
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